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placing said sampling device within said passage in a sampling position wherein said inlet is situated below the liquid level in the conduit,  
releasably securing said sampling device to said circumferential wall to the conduit to collect a liquid sample, 5  
and  
removing said sampling device from said conduit to retrieve the collected sample.

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39. The method of claim 38 including the additional step of:

placing in said conduit downstream of said apparatus a dam which blocks flow through a lower portion of the conduit so as to raise the liquid level upstream of the dam above said inlet.

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